## It is Christmas time



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\_Lights are shining in different colours in different wavelengths in different places almost all over the world.

In the past year 2010 we have been celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of lasers in dentistry which was the overall high light for the use of lasers in the different fields of dentistry. One flashlight during this highlight was the 12<sup>th</sup> WFLD (World Federation of Lasers Dentistry) Congress in Dubai being embedded in the largest Dental exhibition in the middle East. Further more a big number of high class national laser conferences around the world have been completing this shining impression. This has been reflected in a rising number of laser users due to the growing acceptance of this technology within the dental society.

The year 2010 was also filled with highlights of improved and new dental laser systems helping dedicated laser dentists to successfully improve their daily service towards their patients.

I wish all our dear laser users and laser interested colleagues a peacefull Christmas time and a bright shining New Year.

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